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SUBJECT: COE PROJECT PREQUALIFICATION FOR SAUDI ARABIAN PROJECT -  
MILITARY MUSEUM & LIBRARY - RIYADH

1. THE U.S. CORPS OF ENGINEERS (MEDITERRANEAN) HAS SENT THE FOLLOWING ADVERTISEMENT FOR CONSTRUCTION SERVICES TO ITS NEW YORK OFFICE FOR INSERTION IN COMMERCE BUSINESS DAILY. THIS MESSAGE IS REPEATED FOR THOSE AGENCIES IN WASHINGTON WHICH MAY NOT PERUSE CBD.

2. QUOTE "THIS ANNOUNCEMENT IS FOR THE PURPOSE OF SOLICITING NAMES OF FIRMS INTERESTED IN PREQUALIFICATION FOR THIS PROJECT. PREQUALIFICATION OF CONTRACTORS WILL BE ACCOMPLISHED BY MEDITERRANEAN DIVISION, CORPS OF ENGINEERS. FIRMS CONSIDERED MUST SUBMIT NLT FOURTEEN (14) DAYS FOLLOWING PUBLICATION OF THIS AD. ENG FORM 3627 AND RELATED DATA DEPICTING CURRENT CAPABILITY AND FINANCIAL RESOURCES FOR ACCOMPLISHMENT OF WOG. CONTRACTORS THAT HAVE ALREADY SUBMITTED ABOVE INFORMATION SHOULD REPLY IF INTERESTED, AND SUBMIT UPDATED INFORMATION IF PREVIOUS DATA SUBMITTED IS OUT OF DATE.

A. PROJECT SCOPE: CONSTRUCT A MILITARY MUSEUM AND LIBRARY AT RIYADH, SAUDI ARABIA. WORK CONSISTS OF CONSTRUCTING A 2-STORY LIMESTONE FACED, REINFORCED CON-  
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CRETE BUILDING WITH A TOTAL AREA OF APPROXIMATELY 38,000

SQ. FEET.

B. EST CONSTRUCTION COST: IN EXCESS OF \$5,000,000.  
CONTRACT WILL BE AWARDED ON A FIXED PRICE BASIS:

C. CONSTR SCHEDULE: REQUESTS FOR PROPOSALS SCHEDULED  
FOR MAY 1976; SUBMITTALS SCHEDULED, AUGUST 1976;  
SEPTEMBER 1976: COMPLETION, OCTOBER 1978.

D. TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS: SHOW PRIOR EXPERIENCE OF  
TIMELY AND QUALITY CONSTRUCTION OF SIMILAR BUILDING IN  
AREAS WHERE INDUSTRIAL BASE IS LIMITED AND TRANSPORTATION  
DIFFICULT.

E. SPECIAL QUALIFICATION: QUALIFIED CONTRACTORS WILL  
BE REQUIRED TO SHOW MANAGEMENT CAPABILITY TO HANDLE  
LOGISTICAL PROBLEMS. DIFFICULT CLIMATIC CON-  
DITIONS, AND FOREIGN LABOR AND SHOW FINANCIAL RE-  
SOURCES SUFFICIENT TO HANDLE PLACEMENT IN TIME FRAME  
ALLOTTED FOR WORK. ALL CONTRACTORS MUST BE PREQUALI-  
FIED IN ORDER TO RECEIVE REQUESTS FOR PROPOSALS.  
REQUEST REPLY BE MAILED TO: OIC LIAISON DETACH-  
MENT; USAED, MEDITERRANEAN, 26 FEDERAL PLAZA, NEW YORK,  
N.Y. 10007. END QUOTE  
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